

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 09797.0002-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) |
|--|--|
| Peiyuan WANG et al. |) Group Art Unit: 1612 |
| Application No.: 10/632,997 |) Examiner: Carlic K. Huynh |
| Filed: August 1, 2003 |)) |
| For: COMPOUNDS WITH THE BICYCLO[4.2.1]NONANE SYSTEM FOR THE TREATMENT OF FLAVIVIRIDAE INFECTIONS |) Confirmation No.: 8974))) |

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 15, 2008 (the "Office Action"), the period for response having been extended to July 15, 2008, by a request for a three-month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section and begin on page 33 of this paper.